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Via ECFS
Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

**Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to
47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1**

Dear FCC,

I chose a competitive local provider because they actually respond to consumers who have a problem and quickly fix it. Experience with big carriers says it will be down for a day or more if there is a problem.

They keep prices down and avoid the massive hikes that big carriers engage in. They are a far better option for consumers.

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